SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA MARICOPA COUNTY

FC 2008-090345 10/13/2010

CLERK OF THE COURT

HONORABLE DAVID M. TALAMANTE

M. Kay Deputy

IN RE THE MARRIAGE OF

CHRISTOPHER MICHAEL MASON CHRISTOPHER MICHAEL MASON

3525 N SONORAN HEIGHTS

MESA AZ 85207

AND

AMY BETH MASON AMY BETH MASON

3935 E LAVENDER LN PHOENIX AZ 85044

FAMILY COURT SERVICES-CCC

RULING

The Court took this matter under advisement after an Evidentiary Hearing held on August 17, 2010. The parties were given leave to submit closing arguments with Mother/Respondent to submit by August 30, 2010 and Father/Petitioner by September 6, 2010. The Court has considered the evidence and argument submitted.

As a preliminary matter,

IT IS ORDERED affirming the findings, orders and inclinations set forth by the Court at the hearing on July 2, 2010. At the conclusion of the hearing on July 2, 2010, the Court set for hearing Respondent's Petition to Modify Support with the attendant allegation of changed circumstances and also set for hearing Petitioner's Request to Modify Parenting Time. All other issues were disposed of on July 2, 2010.

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IT IS ORDERED granting Petitioner's Motion to Strike Respondent's Surreply filed August 27, 2010. The "Respondent's reply dated and filed on August 27, 2010" will not be considered by the Court.

THE COURT FINDS that there is a change in circumstances warranting a modification of support based on daycare costs and an increase in Father's parenting time as requested in his petition.

IT IS ORDERED granting Mother's Petition in part as reflected in the attached child support worksheet.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED granting Father's Petition for modification as reflected in the parenting time adjustment in the attached worksheet. The child support modification will be effective September 1, 2010. It is anticipated that a further modification for child support will have to be calculated after Mother completes this year's schooling in June 2011.

For purposes for calculating support,

THE COURT FINDS that Father's yearly income is \$210,000.00; Mother's income is at \$0 until she completes her education in June 2011. Father pays spousal maintenance in the amount of \$3, 200.00 per month and Mother receives a corresponding adjustment. Father pays medical insurance at \$666.16 and there is a daycare adjustment paid by Mother at \$415.00 per month. Father is entitled to a parenting time adjustment of 143 to 152 days (.307). The child support is for 3 children: Christopher M. Mason Jr. (DOB: 12/15/96) this child is over 12, Emma Mason (DOB: 9/18/00) and Grace Mason (DOB: 11/14/02). Father's support obligation will be effective September 1, 2010.

IT IS ORDERED effective September 1, 2010, Father shall pay Mother child support in the amount of \$1,349.56 per month plus spousal maintenance in the amount of \$3,200.00 per month together with the handling fee of \$5.00 per month by wage assignment through the Support Payment Clearinghouse.

LET THE RECORD REFLECT that an Order of Assignment will be initiated electronically.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED granting Father's request to increase parenting time on alternating weekends from Friday after school until Monday at the beginning of school. Father Docket Code 019 Form D000C Page 2

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shall also have parenting time on Wednesday night from 5:00 pm until school begins on Thursday morning. During the summer, the parties will alternate weeks with the children as requested by Father.

IT IS ORDERED that the requirements of Rule 81 are waived and this minute entry is signed as the formal written Order of this Court.

All parties representing themselves must keep the Court updated with address changes. A form may be downloaded at: http://www.superiorcourt.maricopa.gov/SuperiorCourt/Self-ServiceCenter.

October 14, 2010
Date

Date

/ s / HONORABLE DAVID M. TALAMANTE

JUDICIAL OFFICER OF THE SUPERIOR COURT